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- Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement; 1.
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Applicants bring to the attention of the Examiner US 5,869,079 listed on the attached Form PTO-1449.

Applicant respectfully petitions and requests that the Examiner consider the listed documents, evidence such consideration by making appropriate notations on the attached form and return a copy of the initialed form to Applicant. Copies of the references are attached.

In accordance with 37 CFR §1.97(c), this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the mailing date of any of a final action under §1.113, a notice of allowance under §1.311, or an action that otherwise closes prosecution in the application. Applicant hereby authorizes the Commission to charge Deposit Account No. 01-0025 in the amount specified in 37 CFR 1.17(p).

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